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5 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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7 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

8 ELIZABETH C. MILLER,

9 Plaintiff,

No. C 06-00914 JSW

10 v.

11 CRAIG SUMNER, ET AL,

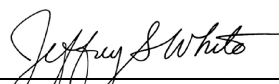
12 Defendants.

**ORDER DIRECTING  
DEFENDANTS THRELFALL  
LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, DIANE  
J. CHRISTIAN, AND WILLIAM F.  
WAYMAN TO NOTIFY COURT  
OF CONSENT OR DECLINATION**

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14 On March 21, 2006, the Court issued an order directing the parties to meet and confer  
15 regarding reassignment to Magistrate Judge Nandor J. Vadas and to file a letter by March 31,  
16 2006, stating whether or not the parties request reassignment of this matter to Magistrate Judge  
17 Vadas. Defendants Threlfall Limited Partnership, Diane J. Christian, and William F. Wayman  
18 did not appear in this matter until April 10 and 19, 2006, respectively, after the deadline to  
19 respond regarding reassignment had passed. Therefore, the Court HEREBY DIRECTS  
20 Defendants Threlfall Limited Partnership, Diane J. Christian, and William F. Wayman to inform  
21 the Court by no later than May 1, 2006 as to whether or not they consent to reassignment to  
22 Magistrate Judge Vardas. If all these parties consent, the matter will be transferred. The parties  
23 will thereafter file written consent to the jurisdiction of a magistrate judge in the form requested  
24 by Magistrate Judge Vadas.

25 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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27 Dated: April 20, 2006

  
28 JEFFREY S. WHITE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE